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In re Application of: Nielsen et al.

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Serial No.: 10/783,254

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Examiner: Tran Lien, Thuy

For: Enzymatic Treatment of Starchy Food Products for Shortening the Tempering Step

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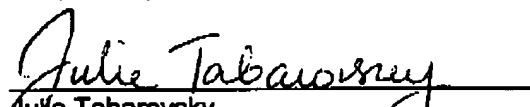
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